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A Selected List of Books with Annotations

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Adams, H. S. Making a rock garden. 1912 — O. S. 716 A214

Practical treatise by an enthusiast on a form of garden which can be very attractive.

Agar, M. Garden design in theory and practice. 1912 — O. S. 710 A261

Treats of the methods of planning large artistic gardens with little attention to horticulture. English.

Albee, Mrs. H. R. Hardy plants for cottage gardens. 1910 — O. S. 716 A328

Includes classified lists of flowers arranged by color and months in which they bloom.

Allerton, S. W. Practical farming. 1907 — 630 A434

Treatise on present farming conditions and how to improve them.

American academy of political and social science. Philadelphia. Country life. 1912 — 630 A512

Symposium on the various phases of rural life.

Bailey, L. H. Country life movement in the United States. 1911 — 630 B155c

Useful contribution to the present discussion of many problems which concern the future of our rural population.

Bailey, L. H., and Miller, Wilhelm. Cyclopedia of American horticulture. 6 v. 1906 — R716 B155

Sifts the literature in which scientific farming finds expression and embodies its most important and permanent results.

Bailey, L. H. Farm and garden rule-book. 1911 — O. S. 630 B155f

Handy reference manual for farmers, gardeners, etc.

Bailey, L. H. Garden-making. 1899 — O. S. 710 B155

Authoritative, practical handbook for amateurs; admirable on esthetic side.

Bailey, L. H. Manual of gardening. 1910 — O. S. 716 B155

Practical guide to the making of home grounds and the growing of flowers, fruits and vegetables.

Bailey, L. H. Plant-breeding. 1906 — 635 B155p

Simple and readable account of current practice in this department of horticulture.

Bailey, L. H. Principles of fruit growing. 1902 — O. S. 634 B155p

Modern art of growing, storing and marketing fruits on a large scale.

Bailey, L. H. Principles of vegetable gardening. 1906 — O. S. 635 B155pr

Includes bibliography of American books and recent experiment station publications relating to vegetable gardening.

Bailey, L. H. Pruning-book. 1898 — O. S. 634 B155

On the pruning and training of plants as applied to American conditions.

Bailey, L. H. State and the farmer. 1908 — 630 B155

Advanced ideas on agricultural education and the position of the farmer in the community.

Baker, Tarkington. Yard and garden. 1908 — O. S. 710 B168

General popular treatment of the planting and care of trees, shrubs, plants and vines in the small grounds of a city home.

Barnard, C. My ten-rod farm. — O. S. 716 B259m

Barnard, C. Simple flower garden. — O. S. 716 B259

Guide for gardeners for flowers all the year.

Barnes, P. T. House plants and how to grow them. 1909 — O. S. 716 B261

Practical guide making choice of plants that are "sure to succeed."

Barron, Leonard. Lawns and how to make them. 1906 — O. S. 712 B277

Practical book treating all the processes that go to the making and keeping of an ornamental lawn.

Barron, Leonard. Roses and how to grow them. 1905 — O. S. 716 B277

Writings of several expert amateur rosarians, giving directions for growing roses in the garden and under glass.

Beach, S. A. Apples of New York. 1905 — 630.6 N532 1903 Pt2

Report of New York agriculture experiment station for the year 1903.

Beattie, W. R. Celery culture. 1907 — O. S. 635 B369

Treatise on production of celery for market and home use, including cultivation, control of insects, etc.

Bennett, I. D. Flower garden. 1903 — O. S. 716 B471

Full, practical advice, includes lists of common flowers and blooming seasons of trees, plants and shrubs.

Bennett, I. D. Vegetable garden. 1908 — O. S. 635 B469

Practical directions for the novice, including chapters on fertilizers, insecticides and garden tools.

Bricker, G. A. Teaching of agriculture in the high school. 1911 — O. S. 630.7 B849

Analysis and formulation of the aims and methods of agricultural education.

Brooks, W. P. Agriculture. 3 v. 1905 — O. S. 630 B873

V. 1 Soils; v. 2 Manures, fertilizers, etc.; v. 3 Animal husbandry including breeds of live stock.

Bunyard, George and Thomas, Owen. Fruit garden. 1904 — O. S. 634 B942

Burkett, C. W., Stevens, F. L. and Hill, D. H. Agriculture for beginners. 1903 — O. S. 630 B959

Burkett, C. W. Soils; their properties, improvement, management. 1907 — O. S. 631 B959

Practical for use in agricultural course and for the farmer.

Burritt, M. C. Apple growing. 1912 — O. S. 634 B971

Practical facts including planning, planting, pruning, diseases and renovations of old orchards.

Butterfield, K. S. Chapters in rural progress. 1908 — 630 B988

Emphasizes the social aspects of rural communities and describes some of the newer movements resulting in the expansion of country life.

Card, F. W. Bush-fruits. 1898 — O. S. 634 C266

Botany, treatment, diseases and specially persecuting insects of each fruit fully treated.

Castle, R. L. Book of market gardening. 1906 — O. S. 635 C353

Gives English methods adopted by many who have made commercial gardening a success.

Cecil, A. M. Children's gardens. 1903 — j716 C388

Gives rudiments of gardening for children and beginners of all ages.

Chittenden, F. H. Insects injurious to vegetables. 1907 — O. S. 632 C543

Coburn, F. D. Book of alfalfa. 1906 — O. S. 633 C658

Conrad, H. S. and Hus, Henri. Water lilies and how to grow them. 1907 — O. S. 716.2 C743

Has chapters on making of ponds and use of accessory plants.

Davey, John. Tree doctor. 1907 — O. S. 715 D248

Book of judicious advice and instruction based upon a study of trees, their injuries, diseases and methods of preservation.

Davidson, K. S. Gardens past and present. 1908 — O. S. 716 D252

Davidson, K. S. Unheated greenhouse. 1907 — O. S. 716.3 D252

Davis, B. M. Agricultural education in the public schools. 1912 — O. S. 630.7 D261

Text-book which discusses the problems of education and the instruments that may be used in solving them. It is an introductory encyclopedia rather than a brief summary.

Davis, C. W. Rural school agriculture. 1907 — 630 D261

Includes exercises for use with any text-book of agriculture or without a text-book.

Dondlinger, P. T. Book of wheat. 1908 — O. S. 633 D679

Most complete and scientific work on the subject covering every phase of the industry.

Doogue, L. J. Making a lawn. 1912 — O. S. 712 D691

Accurate manual designed for the average householder.

Dorner, H. B. Window gardening. 1908 — O. S. 716.4 D713

Book of cultural directions to help the inexperienced care for plants intelligently.

Doubleday, Mrs. N. B. DeG. American flower garden. 1909 — O. S. 716 D727

Includes planting lists.

Drennan, G. T. Everblooming roses. 1912 — O. S. 716 D772

Treats of the culture, habits and care of roses for the garden.

Duggar, B. M. Fungous diseases of plants. 1909 — O. S. 581.21 D866

Embraces a full discussion of the fungous diseases of cultivated and familiar plants.

Duggar, J. F. Southern field crops — 633 D866

Text-book intended for advanced high school and college use and for farmers who desire to proceed substantially.

Duncan, Frances. Mary's garden and how it grew. 1909 — j716 D911

Practical handbook of instruction for all garden makers.

Duncan, Frances. When mother lets us garden. 1909 — j716 D911w

Deals with the care of the simpler plants and flowers.

Earle, F. S. Southern agriculture. 1908 — O. S. 630 E12

Elliott, C. G. Practical farm drainage. 1908 — O. S. 631 E46

Simple manual for the farmer.

Ellwanger, H. B. The rose; a treatise on the cultivation, history, family, characteristics, etc., of the various groups of roses. 1907 — O. S. 716 E47

Ely, H. R. Another hardy garden book. 1905 — O. S. 716 E52

Brief statement of simple methods of conducting gardening operations, particularly in the small home garden.

Ely, H. R. Practical flower garden. 1911 — O. S. 716 E52p

Advice on color arrangement, successive crops, sod, fertilization, etc.

Ely, H. R. Woman's hardy garden. 1903 — O. S. 716 E52w

Management, selection of plants and their arrangement dwelt on with sufficient fullness to make it a safe guide for amateurs.

Farthing, F. H. Saturday in my garden. 1911 — O. S. 716 F247

Practical guide to the cultivation of small gardens with hints on care and management.

Fernow, B. E. Care of trees in lawn, street and park. 1910 — O. S. 715 F366

Lessons in practical tree conservation.

Fish, D. S. Book of the winter garden. 1906 — O. S. 716 F532

Fletcher, S. W. How to make a fruit garden. 1906 — O. S. 634 F615

Definite and practical information for amateurs, fruit growers and gardeners.

Fletcher, S. W. Soils, how to handle and improve them. 1907 — O. S. 631 F615

Popular treatment dealing with the nature and management of soils for students and farmers.

French, Allen. Book of vegetables and garden herbs. 1907 — O. S. 635 F873

Practical handbook with planting table.

French, Allen. How to grow vegetables and garden herbs. 1911 — O. S. 635 F873h

Practical handbook and planting table.

Fullerton, E. L. How to make a vegetable garden. 1905 — O. S. 635 P971

Gives general and specific instructions and includes planting time table.

Galloway, B. T. Commercial violet culture. 1903 — O. S. 716 G174

Treatise on the growing and marketing of violets for profit.

Gibson, W. H. Our native orchids. 1905 — O. S. 584 G451

Attractive book on subject on which there is not much available material.

Greene, M. L. Among school gardens. 1910 — *j716 G811

Concise and practical treatment of school gardens.

Grubb, E. H. and Guilford, W. S. The potato. 1912 — O. S. 635 G885

Compilation of information from every available source from the standpoint of the practical grower.

Hall, A. D. Soil; introduction to the scientific study of the growth of crops. 1907 — O. S. 631 H174s

Deals with origin of soils, their physical and chemical composition.

Hall, Bolton. Garden yard. 1909 — O. S. 630 H174g

Simple, practical book showing how to use the back yard for a profitable vegetable garden.

Hall, Bolton. A little land and a living. 1908 — O. S. 630 H174l

Aims to encourage the overworked wage earner to reach out for a better, saner living through cultivating the little lands.

Hall, Bolton. Three acres and liberty. 1907 — O. S. 630 H174

Handbook of tested theory regarding land and its possibilities.

Hayes, F. C. Handy book of horticulture. 1900 — O. S. 716 H418

Hays, W. M. Farm development. 1910 — O. S. 630 H425

Hedrick, U. P. Grapes of New York. 1908 — 630.6 N532 pt2

Report of the New York agricultural experiment station for the year 1907.

Hedrick, U. P. Plums of New York. 1911 — 630.6 N532 1910 pt2

Report of the New York agricultural experiment station for the year 1910.

Hemenway, H. D. How to make a school garden. 1903 *j716 H486

Discusses the development of the school garden movement and how to make a school garden.

Henderson, Peter. Gardening for profit. 1907 O. S. 635 H497

Author is inventor of new methods adapted to operations on a large scale.

Herrman, H. French method of intensive cultivation and asparagus forcing. 1910 O. S. 635 H568

Gives French method of gardening and intensive cultivation with instructions for each month in the year.

Higgins, M. M. Little gardens for boys and girls. 1910 j716 H636

Accounts of simple garden making.

Hole, S. M. Book about roses. 1911 O. S. 716 H729

How to grow and show them, with lists of roses.

Hunn, C. E. and Bailey, L. H. Amateur's practical garden book. 1900 O. S. 635 H938

Hunt, T. F. Forage and fiber crops in America. 1907 O. S. 633 H943

Husman, George. American grape growing and wine making. 1909 O. S. 634 H971

Results of fifty years' experience in viticulture.

Hutchinson, Mrs. F. K. Our country home. 1907 O. S. 728.6 H975

Full of suggestions for owners of country homes.

Iliott, Charles. Book of asparagus. 1901 — O. S. 635 I29

Deals from practical standpoint with the culture of asparagus, celery, etc.

Jekyll, Gertrude. Children and gardens. 1908 — j716 J47

Useful information regarding children's gardens.

Jordan, D. S. and Kellogg, V. L. Scientific aspects of Luther Burbank's work. 1909 — O. S. 581 J82

Records the judgment of two distinguished zoologists upon the work of the most famous gardener of the world.

Keller, H. L. Our garden flowers. 1910 — O. S. 716 K26

Popular study of annual and perennial flowering plants which describes in detail their native lands, life histories and structural affiliations.

Kirby, A. M. Daffodils, narcissus and how to grow them as hardy plants and for cut flowers. 1907 — O S. 716 K58

Lodeman, E. G. Spraying of plants. 1906 — O. S. 632 L821

Terse directions for use of liquid and powder sprays to destroy insects and fungi.

Lounsberry, Alice. Garden book for young people. 1908 — j716 L889

Good index to flowers.

McCullom, W. C. Vines and how to grow them. 1911 — O. S. 581.5 M129

Manual of useful and ornamental climbing plants.

McLennan, John. Manual of practical farming. 1910 — O. S. 630 M164

Practical untechnical treatise covering briefly the whole range of farming.

Maeterlinck, M. Old-fashioned flowers. 1905 — O. S. 716 M186

Delightful volume of nature sketches.

Mann, A. R. Beginnings in agriculture. 1911 — 630 M281

Designed for the purpose of introducing study of agriculture in seventh and eighth grades.

Massey, W. F. Practical farming. 1907 — O. S. 630 M416

Especially designed for everyday use of farmers and agricultural students.

Maynard, S. T. Small country place. 1908 — O. S. 630 M471

Accurate work by one who has spent more than 30 years teaching botany and horticulture. It covers many interests connected with the small rural place. Calendar outlines each month's work.

Miller, C. H. Making paths and driveways. 1912 — O. S. 713 M647

Tells how to locate, lay out, construct and drain paths and driveways.

Miller, L. K. Children's gardens for school and home. 1904 — O. S. 716 M648

Miller, Wilhelm. What England can teach us about gardening. 1911 — 710 M652

Discussion of gardening in the United States as compared with English methods.

Morris, Edmund. Ten acres enough. 1905 — O. S. 630 M875

Paddock, Wendell. Fruit-growing in arid regions. 1910 — O. S. 634 P123

Account of the approved fruit-growing practices in the inter-mountain country of the west.

Parkinson, E. K. Guide to the country home. 1909 — O. S. 630 P247

Gives distinctly practical advice on such topics as choice of location, winter-planning, tools, stock, crops, etc.

Parkinson, E. K. Practical country gentleman. 1911 — O. S. 630 P247p

Handbook of information to help beginners avoid the usual discouraging stumbling-blocks.

Parsons, H. G. Children's gardens for pleasure, health and education. 1910 — j716 P268

Handbook divided into theory and practice. Helpful in planning school gardens.

Parsons, Samuel, Jr. Landscape gardening. 1907 — 710 P271

Practical statement of problems.

Pearson, R. H. Book of garden pests. 1908 — 632 P362

Handbook for gardeners containing information necessary to combat common insect pests and fungus diseases.

Peterson, M. G. How to know wild fruits. 1905 — O. S. 581 P485

Guide to plants when not in flower by means of fruit and leaf.

Plunkett, Sir H. C. Rural life problem of the United States. 1910 — O. S. 630 P737

Results of ten years' study of local conditions by an Englishman who is an authority on the subject.

Powell, E. P. How to live in the country. 1911 — O. S. 630 P882

Tells how to choose the site, build the house and prepare for the future of both farm and family.

Powell, E. P. Orchard and the fruit garden. 1905 — O. S. 634 P882

Written for people escaping from city life to suburban homes. Gives specific cultural directions.

Powell, I. L. Chrysanthemums and how to grow them. 1911 — O. S. 716 P883

Authoritative and comprehensive manual for grower and amateur.

Rexford, E. E. Amateur garden craft. 1912 — O. S. 716 R445a

Instructions for the beginner which will help him to work intelligently and artistically in beautifying grounds.

Rexford, E. E. Four seasons in the garden. 1907 — 716 R455

Treats of the making and care of the lawn, flower-beds, back-yard gardens and window boxes.

Rexford, E. E. Home floriculture. 1907 — O. S. 716 R455h

Practical guide to the treatment of flowering and other ornamental plants in the house and garden.

Rexford, E. E. Home garden. 1909 — O. S. 635 R455

Useful manual for the inexperienced who wish to grow vegetables and small fruit.

Rexford, E. E. Indoor gardening. 1910 — O. S. 716 R455i

Helpful for those with small gardens and but an hour or so each day to work in.

Roberts, I. P. The farmstead. 1905 — 630 R645

Making of the rural home and layout of the farm.

Roberts, I. P. Fertility of the land. 1906 — 631 R645

Summary sketch of the relationship of farm practice to the maintaining and increasing of the productivity of the soil.

Rockwell, F. F. Home vegetable gardening. 1911 — O. S. 635 R684

Guide to planting and care of vegetables, fruits and berries worth growing for home use.

Rogers, W. S. Garden planning. 1911 — O. S. 716 R731

Useful English book containing lists of flowers for special purposes.

Rutter, W. P. Wheat-growing in Canada, the United States and the Argentine. 1911 — O. S. 633 R982

Considers the geographical, economic and political factors which affect the cultivation of wheat and discusses the probabilities of the future.

Saint-Maur, Mrs. K. V. Earth's bounty. 1909 — O. S. 630 S146e

Modern practical book for the farmer as well as the amateur.

Saint-Maur, Mrs. K. V. Making home profitable. 1912 — O. S. 630 S146m

Tells how an inexperienced city woman built up a profitable home in the country, with chapters on vegetable gardening, flowers and fruit and raising of poultry, bees and pigs.

Saint-Maur, Mrs. K. V. Self-supporting home. 1905 — O. S. 630 S146

Author relates personal experiences month by month in making a twelve-acre farm pay for itself and provide a home.

Sanderson, E. D. Insect pests of farm, garden and orchard. 1912 — O. S. 632 S316

Deals in turn with the various pests and makes clear the ways of exterminating them.

Sevey, G. C. Bean culture. 1907 — O. S. 635 S499

Treatise on production and marketing of beans.

Shaw, E. E. Gardening and farming. 1911 — j716 S534

Shelton, Louise. Seasons in a flower garden; a handbook of information and instruction for the amateur. 1906 — O. S. 716 S545

Skinner, C. M. Little gardens. 1904 — O. S. 716 S628

How to beautify city yards and small country spaces.

Storer, F. H. Agriculture in some of its relations with chemistry. 1906 — 631 S884

Designed for farmers familiar with the manual practice of agriculture, desirous of studying some of the sciences bearing most closely on the art of farming.

Streeter, J. W. Fat of the land. 1904 — O. S. 630 S914

Clear, sensible and business-like book for the gentleman farmer. Not much attention paid to details.

Tabor, Grace and Teall, G. C. Garden primer. 1910 — O. S. 716 T114

Excellent first book with planting table.

Tabor, Grace. Landscape garden book. 1911 — O. S. 710 T114

Contains the simple laws of beauty and utility which should guide the development of all grounds.

Thonger, Charles. Book of the cottage garden. 1909 — O. S. 716 T486

Planned for the average householder. It suggests simple methods for small gardens.

Tracy, W. W. Tomato culture. 1907 — O. S. 635 T762

Gives instructions for raising, harvesting and marketing tomatoes.

Underwood, Loring. Garden and its accessories. 1907 — O. S. 716 U56

Suggestive to people who make their gardens out-of-door living rooms.

U. S. Bureau of soils. Field operations of the bureau of soils. 1900-1912 — R631 U571

U. S. County life commission. Report. 1911 — 630 U572

Introduction by Theodore Roosevelt. Endeavors to summarize the deficiencies in country life and the general corrective forces to be set in motion.

Van Slyke, L. L. Fertilizers and crops. — O. S. 631 V281

Gives practical methods for using fertilizers and the reasons underlying their use.

Ver Beck, H. R. Garden in the wilderness. 1909 — O. S. 716 V477

Written by a garden lover, but contains little practical information.

Vivian, Alfred. First principles of soil fertility. 1908 — O. S. 631 V858

Excellent untechnical work well adapted to needs of farmer.

Warren, G. F. Elements of agriculture. 1909 — O. S. 630 W288

May be used for text in preparatory schools and short courses in college.

Watts, R. S. Vegetable gardening. 1912 — O. S. 635 W352

Text-book for agricultural schools and professional vegetable growers.

Waugh, F. A. American apple orchard. 1908 — O. S. 634 W354a

Full information for the practice of apple growing, harvesting and marketing.

Waugh, F. A. Beginner's guide to fruit growing. O. S. 634 W354b

Simple statement of elementary practices of propagation, planting, culture, fertilization, etc.

Waugh, F. A. Dwarf fruit trees. 1908 634 W354d

Sets forth the commercial possibilities and great importance of dwarf fruit trees to the small householder.

Waugh, F. A. Fruit harvesting. 1906 O. S. 634 W354

Practical guide to the picking, sorting, packing, storing, shipping and marketing of fruit.

Waugh, F. A. Landscape gardening. 1899 O. S. 710 W354

General principles governing outdoor art with suggestions for their application in the problems of gardening.

Waugh, F. A. Plums and plum culture. 1901 O. S. 634 W354p

Deals with the propagation, cultivation and utilization of plums cultivated and indigenous in North America.

Weed, C. M. and Emerson, Philip. School garden book. 1909 O. S. 716 W394 also j

Useful guide to teacher in city and country and to home gardener, discussing by month the flowers in season.

Weed, C. M. Spraying crops; why, when and how. 1912 O. S. 632 W394s

Wilkinson, J. W. Practical agriculture. 1909 O. S. 630 W686

Woll, F. W. Handbook for farmers and dairy men. 1907 630 W863

Useful facts and formulas on subjects of importance to farmers and dairymen.

Woolson, G. A. Ferns and how to grow them. 1905 — O. S. 587 W916

Practical book for amateur fern culturist. Describes native varieties, their habits and needs.

Wright, Mrs. M. O. Garden, you and I. 1906 — O. S. 716 W952

Reliable information about gardens is interwoven with the thread of a slight story.

Wright, W. P. Garden week by week. 1909 — O. S. 716 W954g

Handbook to gardening operations for every week in the year.

Wright, W. P. Perfect garden. 1908 — O. S. 716 W954

How to keep it beautiful and fruitful, with hints on culture of all the principal flowers, fruits and vegetables.

Wright, W. P. Popular garden flowers. 1911 — O. S. 716 W954p

Gives instructions for raising many individual flowers such as carnations, lilies, sweet peas, etc.

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